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SUBJECT: ARTICLES ON MR. ARMSTRONG

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF PORTION OF MARCH 11 NYT "NOTES ON  
PEOPLE" ARTICLE CONCERNING MR. ARMSTRONG: BEGIN TEXT:

AN ENVOY'S HUSBAND TO SELL U.S. GRAIN

TOBIN ARMSTRONG, HUSBAND OF THE NEW AMBASSADOR TO BRITAIN,  
ANNE ARMSTRONG, HAS BEEN NAMED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICUL-  
TURE AS A NONSALARIED CONSULTANT TO PROMOTE EUROPEAN SALES  
OF AMERICAN GRAINS AND OTHER FARM PRODUCTS. THE MILLIONAIRE  
TEXAS RANCHER WILL BE PAID STANDARD GOVERNMENT TRAVEL AND  
EXPENSE ALLOWANCES ON ASSIGNMENTS BUT A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN  
EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT THE AMOUNT WOULD "COME TO MORE THAN  
\$4,000 OR \$5,000 A YEAR." MR. ARMSTRONG IS EXPECTED TO BE  
DESIGNATED AS SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE  
EARL L. BUTZ, THROUGH WHOM THE APPOINTMENT REPORTEDLY WAS  
ARRANGED.

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